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Enclosed are:

- ☐ This is a request for filing a ☐ continuation ☐ divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(b), of pending prior application serial no. _____ filed on _____ entitled _____.
- ☒ 24 pages of specification, 3 pages of claims, 1 page of abstract.
- ☒ 5 sheets of drawings (Figs. 1-5).
- ☒ An **executed** Declaration, Petition and Power of Attorney.
- ☒ An assignment of the invention to **Honda Giken Kogyo Kabushiki Kaisha**. A recordation form cover sheet (Form PTO 1595) is also enclosed.
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☒ **Transmittal of Priority Document, Japanese Patent Application No. 2000-199633, filed 30 June 2000**
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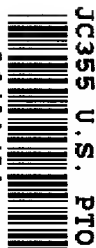
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